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EXAMINING GROUP 2441**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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MANAGEMENT IN AN  
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SERVER

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF**  
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Office Action of February 3, 2009, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.